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USAID Request for Applications: Agricultural Commercialization and Innovation Activity

USAID is excited to announce the release of a Request for Applications (RFA) for its new Agricultural Commercialization and Innovation (AC&I) Activity. AC&I will provide the Bureau for Food Security a platform from which the bureau can fulfill its role to promote new approaches to food security through new and innovative partnerships, tools, and methodologies that improve market access for food insecure households in Feed the Future countries.

The AC&I Activity will have four components:

- 1. Agricultural technology commercialization
- 2. Partnership development
- 3. Investment design and modeling
- 4. Knowledge management

The RFA will accept applications until **4:00 pm EST on March 20, 2012**. For more information, visit **grants.gov** or **view the full announcement**.